

Silver Shores STEAM Academy K-8
SAC Meeting General Meeting Agenda

1701 SW 160 Ave., Miramar, FL 33027

Wednesday, October 7, 2026 – 6pm

- I. Call to Order & Welcome**
 - A. The meeting was officially called to order at 6:04 PM.
- II. Attendance**
 - A. Members: Krystal Romano (SAC Chair), Jonathan Leff (Principal), Lissette Calero (Parent), Faidea Ferguson (Parent), Elaine Heyman (BTU), Kenwel Jahangir (Teacher), Vaughn Reynolds (Gifted Parent), Alfredo Rios-Blas (Teacher)
 - B. Guests: Patty Abreu (Parent), Josephine K-Garcon (Parent)
- III. SAC Update**
 - A. The council discussed and shared the official SAC meeting dates for the upcoming school year.
 - ~~1. Wednesday, September 2, 2026~~
 - ~~2. Wednesday, October 7, 2026~~
 - 3. Wednesday, November 4, 2026
 - 4. Wednesday, December 2, 2026
 - 5. Wednesday, January 6, 2026
 - 6. Wednesday, February 3, 2026
 - 7. Wednesday, March 3, 2026
 - 8. Wednesday, April 7, 2026
 - 9. Wednesday, May 12, 2026
- IV. School Environmental Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR)**
 - A. There was nothing to report at this time. The school currently has zero incidents on file.
- V. Financial Report & Accountability Funds**
 - A. The current financial balances were reviewed and reported as follows:
 - 1. Accountability Funds: \$4,832.69
 - 2. School Recognition Funds: \$2,758.00
- VI. School Improvement Plan (SIP) Monitoring & Stakeholder Feedback**
 - A. The School Improvement Plan (SIP) was reviewed by the council.
 - 1. A detailed explanation was provided regarding its purpose, goals, and how stakeholders can provide continuous feedback.
- VII. Principal's Report (Dr. Leff)**

- A. Referendum Renewal: Dr. Leff discussed the upcoming referendum renewal on the November 3rd ballot. It was heavily emphasized that this referendum will not increase taxes, but will provide teachers with a 5.5% to 10% salary increase.
 - B. School Recognition Allocation ("A" School Money):
 - 1. Due to achieving an "A" school grade, the school has been allocated \$30,652.00 based on 357 students (calculated from the February FTE).
 - 2. The council will draft a formal ballot with 2 or 3 options to vote on how to distribute these funds.
 - 3. A proposal was discussed to take 10% off the top to directly fund student learning camps.
 - 4. The final ballot and allocation rules will be officially reviewed and voted on at the next meeting.
- VIII. **Presentations:**
- A. Gifted: The initial informational meeting regarding the Gifted program is scheduled to take place at *Bair Middle School at 6:30 PM*.
 - 1. While all parents are welcome to attend, it was noted that students typically test into this track during **2nd grade**.
- IX. **Old / New Business:**
- A. None recorded.
- X. **Announcements:**
- A. **Magnet Open House:** Wednesday, October 28, 2026, at 6:00 PM (Hosted on-site).
 - B. **Trunk or Treat:** Friday, October 30, 2026, at 6:00 PM.
 - C. **Boo Grams:** Seasonal sales are officially underway.
- XI. **Next Meeting:**
- A. Scheduled for Wednesday, November 4, 2026 at 6pm.
- XII. **Adjournment:**
- A. A motion to adjourn was made by Elaine Heyman and seconded by Alfredo Rios-Blas. The meeting was officially adjourned.